UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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In re:

BED BATH & BEYOND INC., et al., 1

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Case No. 23-13359 (VFP)

(Jointly Administered)

CERTIFICATION OF NO OBJECTION REGARDING PLAN ADMINISTRATOR'S OBJECTION TO CLAIMS FILED BY BRANDON ADAM MEADOWS (CLAIM NOS. 12957 AND 18124) [DOCKET NO. 3354]

1. On July 22, 2024, Michael Goldberg, solely in his capacity as the Plan Administrator (the "<u>Plan Administrator</u>") to 20230930-DK-Butterfly-1, Inc. (f/k/a/ Bed Bath & Beyond Inc.)² and affiliated debtors (the "<u>Debtors</u>") filed the *Plan Administrator's Objection to*

¹ The last four digits of Debtor Bed Bath & Beyond Inc.'s tax identification number are 0488. A complete list of the Debtors in these chapter 11 cases and each such Debtor's tax identification number may be obtained on the website of the Debtor's proposed claims and noticing agent at https://restructuring.ra.kroll.com/bbby.

² Pursuant to the Certificate of Amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation of Bed Bath & Beyond Inc., which was filed with the State of New York Department of State on September 21, 2023, the name of the entity formerly known as "Bed Bath & Beyond Inc." was changed to 20230930-DK-Butterfly, Inc. [Filing ID No. 230921001833 DOS ID 315602].

Claims Filed by Brandon Adam Meadows (Claim Nos. 12957 and 18124) [Docket No. 3354] (the "Motion").

- 2. The Plan Administrator served the Motion on July 22, 2024, upon the parties listed in the *Certificate of Service* [Docket No. 3356].
- 3. Pursuant to the *Notice of Objection to Your Claim* [Docket No. 3355], the deadline for parties to file objections and responses to the Motion was on August 20, 2024 (the "Objection Deadline"). No objections or responses to the Motion were filed on the docket on or before the Objection Deadline. The Plan Administrator has not received any informal responses to the Motion on or before the Objection Deadline.
- 4. The proposed order (the "<u>Proposed Order</u>") that was appended to the Motion is attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u>. The Plan Administrator respectfully requests that the Court enter the attached Proposed Order at the earliest convenience of the Court.

Dated: August 26, 2024

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EXHIBIT A

Proposed Order

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ORDER SUSTAINING PLAN ADMINISTRATOR'S OBJECTION TO CLAIMS FILED BY BRANDON ADAM MEADOWS AND DISALLOWING SUCH CLAIMS (Claim Nos. 12957 and 18124)

The relief set forth on the following pages, numbered two (2) through three (3), is **ORDERED**.

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Upon the objection (the "Objection")¹ of the Plan Administrator, pursuant to sections 105 and 502 of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rule 3007, and Local Rules 3007-1, 3007-2, and 9013-1, seeking entry of an order (this "Order") disallowing Claims 12957 and Claim 18124 and upon consideration of the record of these chapter 11 cases and the *Declaration of Michael Goldberg* in support thereof; and the Court having jurisdiction to consider the Objection and the relief requested therein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334; and venue being proper before this Court; consideration of the Objection and the relief requested being a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b); due and proper notice of the Objection having been provided, and it appearing that no other or further notice need be provided; and the Court having found and determined that the relief sought in the Objection is in the best interests of the Debtors' estates, their creditors and all parties in interest, and that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Objection establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is hereby

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Objection is sustained.
- 2. Claim 12957 is disallowed in its entirety and is expunged.
- 3. Claim 18124 is disallowed in its entirety and is expunged.
- 4. The Claims and Noticing Agent is authorized to modify the Claims Register to reflect the relief granted by this Order.

¹ Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Objection.

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5. Notwithstanding any applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the

Bankruptcy Rules, or the Local Rules, this Order shall be effective immediately upon its entry.

6. The Court shall retain jurisdiction to construe and enforce this Order.